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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure, applicants submit a "List of References Cited by Applicant" on a modified PTO-1449 form. The relevance of each listed reference is discussed in the following paragraphs.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.98(d), copies of the patents, publications or other information listed in this information disclosure statement are not required to be provided and are not enclosed because they were previously cited by or submitted to the Office in prior applications. Applicants refer to the information disclosed in prior application Serial No. 09/457,647, filed December 9, 1999. The present application is a continuation-inpart of application Serial No. 09/457,647, filed December 9, 1999, which is a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 09/350,670, filed July 9, 1999, which is a continuation-in-part of 08/706,945, filed September 3, 1996, which is a continuation-in-part of 08/577,788, filed December 22, 1995, which applications were relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. 120. The information disclosed in the prior applications were submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97.

Applicants' position regarding this information and its relevancy remains unchanged.

The information disclosure statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing date of the application or date of entry into the national stage of an international application or before the mailing date of a first Office action on the merits, or before the mailing of a first Office action after the filing of a request for continued examination under section 1.114, whichever event occurs last. 37 CFR 1.97(b).

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Applicants request consideration of this information and passage of the application to issue.

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